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FOR MANUFACTURING OPTICAL FIBERS  
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**AMENDMENT AFTER NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE**

Sir:

The following Amendment is submitted after issuance of Notice of Allowance. We respectfully request the Title to be corrected as follows:

From: "LMETHOD" (delete)

To: --METHOD-- (insert)

We do not believe a fee is due since this was a typographical error made by the U.S. Patent Office and not by the applicant.

If a fee is due the Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge or credit overpayment the amount due, to the Deposit Account No. 03-1240. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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